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HB-5429

AN ACT CONCERNING PEDESTRIAN SAFETY, VISION ZERO COUNCIL, SPEED LIMITS IN MUNICIPALITIES, FINES AND CHARGES FOR CERTAIN VIOLATIONS, THE GREENWAYS COMMEMORATIVE ACCOUNT AND MAINTENANCE WORK ZONE AND SCHOOL ZONE SAFETY ENFORCEMENT.

AMENDMENT

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OFA Fiscal Note

State Impact:

Agency Affected	Fund-Effect	FY 22 \$	FY 23 \$
Department of Transportation	TF - Potential	See Below	See Below
	Savings		
Resources of the General Fund	GF - Potential	None	See Below
	Revenue Loss		
Department of Emergency	GF - Potential	None	See Below
Services and Public Protection	Savings		

Note: TF=Transportation Fund; GF=General Fund

Municipal Impact:

Municipalities	Effect	FY 22 \$	FY 23 \$
Various Municipalities	Potential	See Below	See Below
	Revenue		
	Loss/		
	Savings		
Municipal Police Departments	Potential	None	See Below
	Savings		

Explanation

The amendment eliminates the speed camera provisions of the bill and results in 1) potential savings for the Department of Transportation (DOT) to the extent that the department avoids costs for installing, maintaining, and operating the camera systems 2) a potential General Fund revenue loss from fines for violations in maintenance work zones 3) a potential municipal revenue loss from fines and related operational cost savings in a hospital or school zones and 4) potential savings for state and municipal police associated with the overtime that may have been incurred in reviewing speed camera footage for enforcement purposes.

The amendment also changes signage requirements by 1) eliminating the hospital zone provisions, including the requisite signage for such zones, and 2) adding a requirement for a local traffic authority to post signs if it lowers a speed limit by more than 10 miles per hour. Both changes are anticipated to have a minimal fiscal impact.

The remaining provisions of the amendment are technical in nature or are otherwise not anticipated to have a fiscal impact.

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